**Date:** March 1, 2004

**To:** Members of the Court, Dir. of State Courts, Executive Asst. to the Chief Justice, Commissioners

From: Cornelia G. Clark, Clerk

Re: SUPREME COURT MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT - FEBRUARY

Cumulative: January 1, 2004 through February 29, 2004

|   | Cumu              | lative: January 1, 2004 through  | n February 29,             | 2004   |                   |
|---|-------------------|--|----------------------------|--|-------------------|
| Cases *Carried over 177 Civil 153 Criminal 24  Actions Filed Discp., Jud., Bar Adm. | 23<br>12          | Cases Terminated Opinion-Civil Opinion-Criminal Order-Civil Order-Criminal         | 38<br>12<br>0<br>26<br>0   | Cases Pending Civil Criminal  (Reviews, bypasses & certifications granted ha |                   |
| Supervisory Writ Orig. Action Misc-Civil -Criminal                                  | 10<br>1<br>0<br>0 |  |                            | been added to cases pen  | ding.)            |
| Petitions for Review *Carried over 195 Civil 92 Criminal 103 Filed Civil Criminal   | 151<br>79<br>72   | Reviews Terminated Granted-Civil Granted-Criminal Denied-Civil Denied-Criminal     | 184<br>13<br>2<br>75<br>94 | Reviews Pending<br>Civil<br>Criminal   | 162<br>83<br>79   |
| Petitions for Bypass *Carried over 4 Civil 4 Criminal 0 Filed Civil Criminal        | 5<br>4<br>1       | Bypasses Terminated Granted-Civil Granted-Criminal Denied-Civil Denied-Criminal    | 7<br>0<br>0<br>6<br>1      | Bypasses Pending<br>Civil<br>Criminal  | 2<br>2<br>0       |
| Certifications *Carried over 2 Civil 1 Criminal 1 Filed Civil Criminal              | 3<br>3<br>0       | Certifications Term'd. Granted-Civil Granted-Criminal Denied-Civil Denied-Criminal | 1<br>0<br>1<br>0<br>0      | Certifications Pending Civil Criminal  | 4<br>4<br>0       |
| TOTAL MATTERS DOCKETED Civil Criminal   | 560<br>359<br>201 | TOTAL MATTERS TERMINATED Civil Criminal  | 230<br>132<br>98           | TOTAL PENDING Civil Criminal   | 346<br>240<br>106 |

<sup>\*</sup>Carried over from 12/31/2003. Note: Statistics state the "number of cases" covered by the filing and/or termination of a Review, Bypass or Certification.

## CASE ACTIVITY DURING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY:

| Actions filed Disciplinary, Jud., Bar Adm. Supervisory Writ Original Action Miscellaneous-CI -CR | 15<br>6<br>8<br>1<br>0  |         |                    |        |                |
|--|-------------------------|---------|--------------------|--------|----------------|
| Petitions for Review filed<br>Civil<br>Criminal  | 60<br>35<br>25          |         |                    |        |                |
| Petitions for Bypass filed<br>Civil<br>Criminal  | 1<br>1<br>0             |         |                    |        |                |
| Certifications filed Civil Criminal  | 1<br>1<br>0             |         |                    |        |                |
|  |                         |         |                    |        |                |
| Cases Terminated Opinion - Civil Opinion - Criminal Order - Civil Order - Criminal               | 23<br>8<br>0<br>15<br>0 |         |                    |        |                |
| Petitions for Review Terminated<br>Civil<br>Criminal   | 93<br>45<br>48          | Granted | 8<br>7<br>1        | Denied | 85<br>38<br>47 |
| Petitions for Bypass Terminated<br>Civil<br>Criminal   | 3<br>2<br>1             | Granted | Ω<br>0<br>0        | Denied | 3<br>2<br>1    |
| Certifications Terminated Civil Criminal   | Ω<br>0<br>0             | Granted | <u>Ω</u><br>0<br>0 | Denied | Ω<br>0<br>0    |

## **Supreme Court Status of Pending Cases**

| Disciplinary /Bar Admissions Matters                | 49               |
|---|------------------|
| Civil   | 49               |
| Criminal  | 0                |
| First Brief Due                                     | 9                |
| Civil   | 8                |
| Criminal  | 1                |
| Second Brief Due                                    | 8                |
| Civil   | 5                |
| Criminal  | 3                |
| Reply Brief Due                                     | Ω                |
| Civil   | 0                |
| Criminal  | 0                |
| Cases with Motions/Petitions Pending Civil Criminal | 7<br>7<br>0      |
| Cases Ready to be Calendared Civil Criminal         | 2<br>2<br>0      |
| Cases Assigned for Argument or Submission on Briefs | 25               |
| Civil   | 20               |
| Criminal  | 5                |
| Cases Under Submission Civil Criminal               | 78<br>60<br>18   |
| TOTAL CASES PENDING Civil Criminal                  | 178<br>151<br>27 |

## MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

| Motions Pending                              | 34 |
|--|----|
| Motions Filed                                | 76 |
| Motions Under Submission                     | 28 |
| Motions Terminated                           | 77 |
|  |    |
| Motions for Reconsideration Pending          | 2  |
| Motions for Reconsideration Filed            | 1  |
| Motions for Reconsideration Under Submission | 2  |
| Motions for Reconsideration Terminated       | 1  |
|  |    |
| Petitions for Supervisory Writ Pending       | 7  |
| Petitions for Supervisory Writ Filed         | 8  |
| Petitions for Supervisory Writ Under Subm.   | 5  |
| Petitions for Supervisory Writ Terminated:   | 9  |
| Granted - 3 Denied - 3 Transferred - 3       |    |